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Mr. Roger Blair Director of Division for Hazardous Material and Waste Management Frankfort, KY 40601

Mr. Blair, pursuant to your request, I am writing to inform you of my plans to remove 37 drums of material from the "Valley". I have positively identified these drums to be thixotropic alkyd resins typical of the resins used in paint manufacture. By virtue of being "thixotropic" they are nonflowing, semi-solid, heavy-bodied materials. The hazard associated with these materials is strictly due to the fact that they contain approximately 50% (by weight) of mineral spirits and would flash in the neighborhood of 105 degrees Fahrenheit. However, because of the heavy-bodied nature of these materials, this hazard is reduced significantly.

I propose to use the services of Mr. Bill Fluhr who is currently operating on the site to remove these drums and transport them to our plant. The drums are D.O.T. approved containers; however, after inspection any drums that do not appear suitable for transferring will be placed into approved oversized containers.

Mr. Fluhr will be leaving the site next Monday or Tuesday, and I would prefer to remove these drums before he leaves.

Thank you for your help in this situation.

Carroll Lang

Operations Manager

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cc: Jack Wilson, Department for Natural Resources



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